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## **DETAILED ACTION**

## **REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

The Applicant's invention relates to the following:

Regarding *claim 1*, the Applicant claims a wireless device comprising:

- a first module operable to process a first broadcast message for a first wireless communication system in accordance with parameters of the first broadcast message;
- a second module operable to process a second broadcast message for a second wireless communication system in accordance with parameters of the second broadcast message, the first and second broadcast messages having different formats; and
- a third module operable to receive and map the parameters of the first and second broadcast messages to corresponding parameters in a set of parameters defined for broadcast services, wherein the set of parameters is a composite set of parameters of the first and second broadcast messages.

Regarding *claim 5*, the Applicant claims a wireless device comprising:

 a first module operable to process a first broadcast message for a first wireless communication system in accordance with parameters of the first broadcast message;

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 a second module operable to process a second broadcast message for a second wireless communication system in accordance with parameters of the second broadcast message;

- a third module operable to map the parameters of the first and second broadcast messages to corresponding parameters in a set of parameters defined for broadcast services; and
- a fourth module operable to display the first and second broadcast messages
  based on the parameters in the set, wherein the fourth module is further
  operative to provide the parameters in the set for user review and selection
  instead of the parameters of the first and second broadcast messages.

Regarding *claim 5*, the Applicant claims a wireless device comprising:

- a first module operable to process a first broadcast message for a first wireless communication system in accordance with parameters of the first broadcast message;
- a second module operable to process a second broadcast message for a second wireless communication system in accordance with parameters of the second broadcast message; and
- a third module operable to map the parameters of the first and second broadcast
  messages to corresponding parameters in a set of parameters defined for
  broadcast services, wherein each of the parameters in the set is associated with
  a mapped parameter for the first broadcast message, a mapped parameter for

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the second broadcast message, or a mapped parameter for both the first and second broadcast messages.

Regarding *claim 10*, the Applicant claims a wireless device comprising:

 a first module operable to process a first broadcast message for a first wireless communication system in accordance with parameters of the first broadcast message;

- a second module operable to process a second broadcast message for a second wireless communication system in accordance with parameters of the second broadcast message; and
- a third module operable to map the parameters of the first and second broadcast
  messages to corresponding parameters in a set of parameters defined for
  broadcast services, wherein the set includes an encoding parameter indicative of
  character sets used for broadcast messages received from the first and second
  networks and a language parameter indicative of languages used for the
  broadcast messages.

Regarding *claim 11*, the Applicant claims a wireless device comprising:

- a first module operable to process a first broadcast message for a first wireless communication system in accordance with parameters of the first broadcast message;
- a second module operable to process a second broadcast message for a second wireless communication system in accordance with parameters of the second broadcast message; and

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a third module operable to map the parameters of the first and second broadcast
messages to corresponding parameters in a set of parameters defined for
broadcast services, wherein the set includes a display mode parameter indicative
of display options for broadcast messages received from the first and second
networks and a message replacement parameter used to replace old broadcast
messages with new broadcast messages.

Regarding *claim 14*, the Applicant claims a method of receiving broadcast services from a plurality of wireless communication systems, comprising:

- processing a first broadcast message for a first wireless communication system
   in accordance with parameters of the first broadcast message;
- processing a second broadcast message for a second wireless communication system in accordance with parameters of the second broadcast message, the first and second broadcast messages having different formats; and
- receiving and mapping the parameters of the first and second broadcast
  messages to corresponding parameters in a set of parameters defined for
  broadcast services, wherein the set of parameters is a composite set of
  parameters of the first and second broadcast messages.

Regarding *claim 18*, the Applicant claims a method of receiving broadcast services from a plurality of wireless communication systems, comprising:

processing a first broadcast message for a first wireless communication system
 in accordance with parameters of the first broadcast message;

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- processing a second broadcast message for a second wireless communication
   system in accordance with parameters of the second broadcast message;
- receiving and mapping the parameters of the first and second broadcast messages to corresponding parameters in a set of parameters defined for broadcast services; and
- providing parameters in the set for user review and selection instead of the
  parameters of the first and second broadcast messages, wherein the set of
  parameters is a composite set of parameters of the first and second broadcast
  messages.

Regarding *claim 19*, the Applicant claims an apparatus comprising:

- means for processing a first broadcast message for a first wireless communication system in accordance with parameters of the first broadcast message;
- means for processing a second broadcast message for a second wireless
   communication system in accordance with parameters of the second broadcast
   message, the first and second broadcast messages having different formats; and
- means for receiving and mapping the parameters of the first and second
  broadcast messages to corresponding parameters in a set of parameters defined
  for broadcast services, wherein the set of parameters is a composite set of
  parameters of the first and second broadcast messages.

Regarding *claim* 22, the Applicant claims a processor readable media for storing instructions in a wireless device, comprising:

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 a module to process a first broadcast message for a first wireless communication system in accordance with parameters of the first broadcast message;

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- a module to process a second broadcast message for a second wireless
   communication system in accordance with parameters of the second broadcast
   message, the first and second broadcast messages having different formats; and
- a module to receive and map the parameters of the first and second broadcast
  messages to corresponding parameters in a set of parameters defined for
  broadcast services, wherein the set of parameters is a composite set of
  parameters of the first and second broadcast messages.

Regarding *claim* 23, the Applicant claims a method of receiving broadcast services in a wireless communication system, comprising:

- defining a composite set of broadcast message parameters including at least a first set and a second set of parameters corresponding to first and second broadcast services;
- respectively associating the first set and the second set with first and second active time periods indicative of when broadcast messages for the first and second broadcast services are to be received; and
- receiving broadcast messages from at least one of the first and second broadcast services in the respective active time period.

Regarding *claim* **25**, the Applicant claims a method of receiving broadcast services in a wireless communication system, comprising:

defining a first set of at least one broadcast service supported by the system;

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 associating the first set with a first active time period indicative of when broadcast messages for the at least one broadcast service in the first set are to be received; and

• receiving broadcast messages for the at least one broadcast service in the first set during the first active time period, wherein each of the at least one broadcast service in the first set corresponds to a different combination of service category and language for broadcast messages in the system.

Regarding *claim* 27, the Applicant claims a wireless device in a wireless communication system, comprising:

- a controller operative to store a composite set of broadcast service parameters
  including at least a first set and a second set of parameters corresponding to first
  and second broadcast services and to respectively associate the first set and the
  second set with first and second active time periods indicative of when broadcast
  messages for the first and second broadcast services are to be received; and
- a processing unit operative to process received broadcast messages from at least one of the first and second broadcast services in the respective active time period.

The closest prior arts relevant to the claimed invention cited by the Examiner is

Babbar et al. (U.S. Patent Publication Number 20040116140 A1), Kang et al. (U.S.

Patent Publication Number 20020152220)

Babbar et al. discloses a transformation of first and second signals by first and second modules such that the signals arriving at a third module are transformed and

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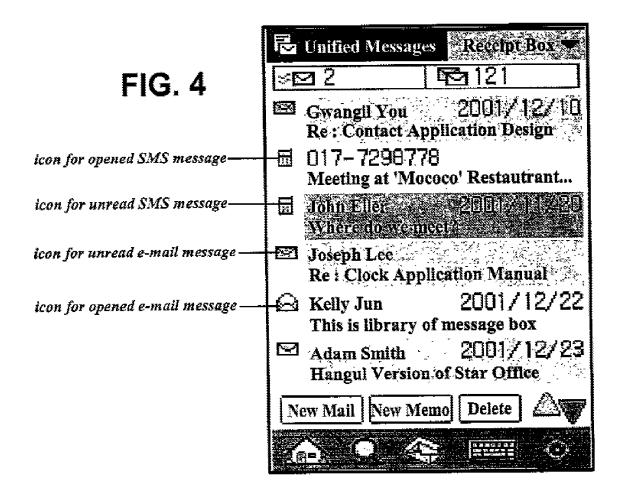
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different from the first and second signals received at the first and second modules. Babbar's referenced DRIF performs both physical and logical transformation of the message (signal/parameter) received. The physical transformation is the process of taking a RF signal and transforming it physically to be displayed, since Babbar discloses where the first and second message (signal/parameter) are physically transformed by the DRIF and presented to the interface devices, such as a laptop computer, PDA, etc. Lastly, the MCM request configuration information and further routes (or maps) the messages directly to the connected host that is identified by the unique configuration in the message.

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Kang et al. discloses displaying several type of message all at one time in a single display of an electronic device without requiring the user to consider the message type. Once the message is written and ready *for transmission*, the user is given the option, if needed, to convert the message based on the information written in a distinguishing field. The conversion unit only converts the written message if the messages' original format exceed the message requirements, for example. Figure 4 details how the messages re displayed according to the prior art disclosure.

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Although Babbar et al. and Kang et al. are considered to constitute to the state of the claimed invention; however, in contrast with comparable differences, the instant Application is considered novel over the prior art because the instant application claims three important factors:

- 1.) First broadcast message parameters
- 2.) Second broadcast message parameters
- 3.) Set (composite) of broadcast parameters, which is configured based on the first and second broadcast message

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The instant application discloses a first and second broadcast message which is used to create a *composite set of broadcast message parameters*. These broadcast messages are originated via broadcast services for GSM, UMTS and CDMA. In the instant application, the Applicant has denoted that the broadcast message will be CBS message for GSM and UMTS and SMS message for CDMA. Each message contains its own set of parameters which are used to configure a "composite set" of parameters that represent together the parameters from each of the broadcasted message. This technique will provide transparent broadcast services in a multi-mode wireless device. In order to implement such, the Applicant has derived a method of facilitating a composite set of parameter associated with each of the broadcast messages as such:

Table 1 - Composite Set of Parameters

Composite Set Parameters	CBS Parameters (GSM & UMTS)	Broadcast SMS Parameters (CDMA)
Message Type	CBS (GSM & UMTS) CBS41 (UMTS)	CBS41
Service ID	Message Identifier	Service Category, Language
Encoding	Data Coding Scheme	Msg_Encoding & Message_Type
Language	Data Coding Scheme	Language Indicator
Message Class	Data Coding Scheme	N/A

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Message Concatenation	Page Parameter	Header_Ind & User Data Header
Geographic Scope	Geographic Scope	Zone-ID
Display Mode	Geographic Scope	Message Display Mode
Message Replacement	Message Code & Update Number	Message ID
User Data Header	Data Coding Scheme & Content of Message/ CB Data	Header_Ind & User Data
Channel Goide	Index Message	N/A

Once the device has detected the type of incoming message, the system maps the contents of the message (parameters) to the corresponding parameters of the composite set. The user is given the opportunity to be presented the "applicable" parameters of the *composite set* for review, selection and other purposes. The user is further presented with a list of available options for the parameters for all supported networks. The prior art fails to teach, in addition, of when receiving a message of a different format, the device fails to support, transparently converting message according to a composite of the message type.

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### Conclusion

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